# **Teen Pregnancy Prevention Resources**

### **About.COM**

About.com: Teen Pregnancy, Marriage & Parenthood

A website specifically targeted to teens on pregnancy and parenthood. Provides teen advice, FAQs on sex and pregnancy, a crisis pregnancy helpline, firsthand experiences of other teens, information on teen parenting, statistics and data on teen pregnancy, and more.

#### **Advocates for Youth**

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Dedicated to creating programs and advocating for policies that help young people make informed and responsible decisions about their reproductive and sexual health. Provides information, training, and strategic assistance to youth-serving organizations, policy makers, youth activists, and the media in the United States and the developing world.

## **America's Pregnancy Helpline**

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A national health organization committed to ongoing reproductive research and education, promoting community awareness and providing fact-based information for women and families with pregnancy related needs. Their goal is to empower women and families, within their own communities, through education and counseling, by offering healthy reproductive options and promoting and supporting healthy pregnancies with positive outcomes.

### **Annie E. Casey Foundation**

State Innovations to Prevent Teen Pregnancy - 2006

Provides descriptions of progress states across the country have made in their efforts to promote adolescent health, prevent adolescent risk-taking and prevent teen pregnancy. The states presented in this document provide three examples of the strategies being developed and implemented across the country to address the challenges associated with teen sexual risk-taking, pregnancy, and childbearing.

### Campaign For Our Children, Inc.

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Addresses the high teen birth rate through a comprehensive, hands-on program to educate children, parents and the general public.

#### Components of Promising Teen Pregnancy Prevention Programs

http://www.advocatesforyouth.org/publications/iag/compnent.htm

#### March of Dimes Birth Defects Foundation

Quick Reference Fact Sheet: Teen Pregnancy

A quick medical reference on teen pregnancy for professionals and researchers.

### **National Library of Medicine**

MedlinePlus: Teenage Pregnancy

An extensive list of resources on teen pregnancy.

# **National Campaign to Prevent Teen Pregnancy**

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Provides online access to a wide range of resources including current research reports, fact sheets, state by state statistics, and curricula on teen pregnancy that was developed and produced by the organization.

### Science Says: Research Briefs and Implications

Part of the Putting to Work What Works project, these briefs address a variety of issues related to teen pregnancy prevention.

# Get Organized: A Guide to Preventing Teen Pregnancy

A three-volume, 17-chapter practical manual for people who are interested in taking action to prevent teen pregnancy in their communities.

### Teen Pregnancy.Org: Information for Teens

Provides a variety of resources on teen pregnancy including prevention information, statistics and data, discussions with other teens, and opportunities to volunteer in helping other teens prevent pregnancy.

### **Nemours Foundation**

About Birth Control: What You Need to Know

A list of articles that identify and discuss specific birth control methods. Provides information on the effectiveness of the various methods.

**Tennessee Department of Health – Abstinence Education** 

http://www2.state.tn.us/health/MCH/abstinenceeducation.htm